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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE In re Application of: BERTRAND BERTHE Group Art Unit: 2176 Application No.: 09/942,569 Filed: August 31, 2001 For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR ADAPTING THE CONTENT OF Technology Center 2100 DOCUMENTS OF AN INFORMATION SERVER December 13, 2001 Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231 INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicants respectfully direct the Examiner's attention to the document listed below and on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. A copy of the document so listed is enclosed.

Wei-Ying Ma et al., "A Framework for Adaptive Content Delivery in Heterogeneous Network Environments", SPIE Conference on Multimedia Computing and Networking, January 2000.

Inasmuch as this application has not yet received a first Office Action on the merits, it is believed that this Information Disclosure Statement is timely. 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(3). Accordingly, the Examiner is urged to study this information in its entirety and to form an independent determination of the materiality of the information to the claimed invention. Additionally, the Examiner is requested to indicate that this information has been considered by initialing the appropriate portion of Form PTO-1449.

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